DELEGATE MASON: In view of the Chair's ruling, then, I move that on line 26, on page 1 of the committee report, strike out the word "not".

THE CHAIRMAN: So that we may have it before us, may we consider Amendment No. 6 amended by striking out everything in line 9 after the semicolon, all of lines 10 and 11?

DELEGATE MASON: Yes, sir.

THE CHAIRMAN: Very well. The amendment is thus modified; the Clerk will read the amendment.

READING CLERK: Amendment No. 6 to Committee Report EB-1 by Delegate Mason, an amendment to Recommendation No. 4 in Committee Report EB-1, on line 26, on page 1 of the Committee Report, strike out the word "not".

THE CHAIRMAN: Is the amendment seconded?

(The amendment was duly seconded.)

THE CHAIRMAN: The amendment having been seconded, the Chair would normally recognize Delegate Mason, but before doing so, the Chair calls attention to the fact that the debate schedule allows seventy minutes of controlled and uncontrolled debate.

It is now nearly ten minutes of six. If there is any likelihood that the debate would take anything like that amount of time, the Chair would not be disposed to begin the debate now.

With that in mind, the Chair would like to inquire of Delegates Mason and Morgan whether they think they could limit their controlled debate to five minutes each. I am not suggesting that there is any compulsion on you to do so. I am merely making the inquiry.

If you do not think that is possible, the Chair would be disposed to recess the matter until tomorrow.

Delegate Morgan.

DELEGATE MORGAN: Mr. Chairman, I have three speakers under the controlled time. I would imagine they could complete their remarks within ten minutes.

THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Mason.

DELEGATE MASON: Mr. Chairman, I have several speakers, but I would cooperate and limit it to an agreed time; if it were ten minutes for controlled debate, I would agree to that limitation.

THE CHAIRMAN: To what time?

DELEGATE MASON: Ten minutes, the same as Delegate Morgan indicated.

THE CHAIRMAN: The Chair would like to inquire how many delegates on the floor would be disposed to speak on the amendment?

If you will just stand and then the Chair would have some idea.

Delegate Harry Taylor.

DELEGATE H. TAYLOR: Mr. Chairman, I am authorized on behalf of the delegates in the back row here to say that a consensus has been reached here in the back row that debate would be futile as far as we are concerned, and maybe that will help the others make up their minds on how much time they are going to need.

THE CHAIRMAN: Will the delegates who desire to speak on the question simply stand so that the Chair can get some idea as to how many there are.

The Chair recognizes Delegate Powers.

DELEGATE POWERS: Mr. Chairman, I move the Committee of the Whole rise and report to the Convention that it has not concluded its consideration of Committee Report EB-1.

THE CHAIRMAN: Is there a second?

(The motion was duly seconded.)

THE CHAIRMAN: All in favor signify by saying Aye; contrary, No. The Ayes have it. It is so ordered.

(Whereupon, at 5:50 P.M. the Committee of the Whole rose, and the Convention reconvened.)

(The mace was replaced by the Sergeantat-Arms.)

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THE PRESIDENT: The Convention will please come to order.

On behalf of the Committee of the Whole, the Chair reports that the Committee of the Whole has had under consideration Committee Report EB-1, that it still has it under consideration, and desires to sit again.